

# MASSILLON DAILY INDEPENDENT.

FOURTH YEAR.

MASSILLON, O., TUESDAY, MARCH 17, 1891.

PRICE TWO CENTS

## GREAT BARGAIN

this week in

CORSETS,

J. & C. SWISS GORE CORSETS

worth \$1.00 will be sold for

SIXTY CENTS.

PERFECT FIT

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SPLENDID QUALITY.

Warwick Block. HUMBARGER'S

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### THE JEWELER

New and Complete stock in all the very late styles.

### Sterling SILVERWARE,

Dozens, Half Dozens, Single pieces.

Diamonds,

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Jewelry.

Largest Stock in the City

NO. 5 ERIE STREET.

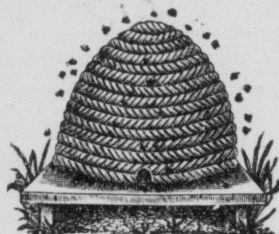
In looking through our invoices we find our purchases already this spring amounts to

16,900 Yards

New Choice Carpetings

Do not think of buying your spring carpetings until you have gone through the

Massillon Bee Hive CARPET HALL.



In our line of All Wool Ingrains, we are showing almost every conceivable Pattern. We are sure they will please everybody.

Respectfully,

ALLMAN & PUTMAN

## SEE GEORGE SNYDER

Before you buy your

## BOOTS AND SHOES

### GRAND PALACE HOTEL

81 to 83 North Clark Street, CHICAGO

5 Minutes from court house.

Both Plans.

Weekly \$3.00. Transients, 50c up.

Restaurant by Compagnon, late Chl. Club Chef.

Popular Prices. New House.

Cut this out for further reference.

## TO THE PUBLIC.

Formerly with Tun Kee in the Minloh block and No. 1 East Tremont street.

has started a first-class

New Laundry at No. 45 East Main Street

Where he will be prepared to show to the public the finest work in his line. He has the latest improved machinery.

New Shirts, 13c, 2 for 25c. Shirts, 10c. Collars, 3c.

Ladies Collars, 2 for 5c. Cuffs, 4c.

## E. D. Wileman,

ENGINEER & SURVEYOR.

OFFICE IN WARWICK BLOCK.

All work accurately and promptly attended to. P. O. Box, 47.

Real Estate bought, sold and exchanged

"Where are you going my pretty maid?"  
"I'm going to Whitman's, kind sir, to trade"  
"Why do you go there, my pretty maid?"  
"His stock is the very largest in the city, sir," she said.  
"But how are his prices, my pretty maid?"  
"They're lower than any one else has made!"  
"Can I go with you my pretty maid,"  
"Pleased with your company sir," she said,  
So then these two the lad and maid,  
Went hurrying off to trade:  
And when the lad went home he said,  
"I've found the very best bargain maid."  
You can do the same by trading at

## C. M. WHITMAN'S,

ORIGINAL ONE PRICE CLOTHING, HAT AND FURNISHING GOODS  
HOUSE, No. 18 SOUTH ERIE ST.

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### BREWERS AND BOTTLERS.

MASSILLON, O.



## 50 NEW STYLE CARRIAGES

Finest Selection Ever Shown in the City at

## WILLAMAN'S FURNITURE

—AND—  
Undertaking Rooms  
42 and 44 S. Erie St.

Select Your Spring Suit

FROM A STOCK OF

—NEW WOOLENS—

And you will be sure to get the proper thing. I am showing a very nice line of fancy silk vestings. Prices the lowest.

## LOWE, The Tailor,

Over 27 & 29 South Erie Opera Block.

## Austin & McIsaac

Have opened a magnificent line of

### BOOTS & SHOES,

No. 15 East Main St.

STOCK ALL NEW. PRICES REASONABLE

Your Patronage Solicited.

Everybody is invited to visit the new store, and examine the handsome line of goods.

## REAL ESTATE BULLETIN.

For Sale—Residences

Four room house, South Erie street, corner lot: \$1,400

Four room (double) house, two-out-kitchens \$2,000

Six roomed house, double lot, Richville Ave. \$1500.

Seven roomed house, Wellman street, \$2,700

For Rent.

Store room, Stone Block.

Store Room in Opera Block, now occupied by Goodhart Bros. Possession given April 1st, 1891.

Business Property.

Ninety-two lot front on Erie street, on P. F. W. & C. Ry., and Ohio canal. Unexcelled location for manufacturing.

Vacant Lots.

One lot on West Tremont street, \$425

One lot on South Erie street, \$800

Two lots on Wechter street, \$225.

Forty-two lots in Kent Jarvis' 2d add. \$300 to \$450

Nineteen lots in his Richville Ave. add. \$225

One lot on South Erie street, in Julia M. Jarvis sub-division, \$500.

One lot on East Main street, best lot on the street, \$2,100.

One lot just off West Tremont street, \$800.

Six lots near the C., L. & W. and W. & L. S. railroads, \$500.

Also have on my list many choice Western lands for sale or exchange, and many other bargains.

Easy Terms, Long Time, Low Interest

CALL AND SEE ME.

JAS. R. DUNN,

FOR

Best Goods and Lowest Prices

GO TO

## The Enterprise

14 lbs. G. Sugar.....\$1 00

15 lbs A Sugar.....1 00

16 lbs Light Brown Sugar.... 1 00

Arbuckles Coffee.....

Dannamiller coffee.....

Lion coffee.....

All Leading Brands Coffee.

5 cans best Peaches.....\$1 00

5 cans best Apricots..... 1 00

12 cans Tomatoes..... 1 00

Good Broom..... 10

Golden drip Syrup per gal.... 35

Good Tea Per Pound 25

All other goods proportionally low.

## Wm. A. PIETZCKER.

Proprietor,

No. 1, West Main Street.

Massillon, Ohio.

## LAST EDITION.

### SALMAGUNDI.

#### TO-DAY'S DOINGS IN THIS TOWN

Personal Notes and Brief Mention of Many Things.

THE WEATHER.—For Ohio—Tuesday, light rain or snow. Warmer.  
TO-NIGHT, at Music Hall, St. Patrick's Day celebration.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bay, a daughter.

Mrs. George Henrich and Mrs. John Kohl are in Canton.

Miss Flora Volkmar of Andrew street is visiting in Canton.

Miss Lucy Post, of Canton, is visiting Miss Florence Bucher.

The interesting fact is noted that Boss Ertle tips the beam at 252 pounds.

Mrs. George Miller and children, of Akron, are visiting friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. DeLong, of New York, are stopping at the Hotel Conrad.

Mrs. Bromfield, of Cleveland, has been visiting friends in the city the past few days.

Forty hours' devotion will begin at St. Joseph's church to-morrow. Five priests will be present.

Misses Cora Zuger and Emma Hermann of Canton, are in the city, to attend St. Patrick's day celebration.

The funeral of Mrs. Peter Barnhart will take place from St. Mary's Catholic church at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning.

The earnings of the Wheeling & Lake Erie for February, \$87,195, show an increase of \$5,300 over the same month a year ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Jehiel Clark returned home yesterday. Mr. Clark has been at Waukesha for some time, for his health, and is much improved.

"The Massillon Land Company," of Portland, Oregon, has been incorporated, and "Massillon" will soon be one of Portland's prettiest suburbs.

Mrs. M. L. Myers occupies room 53 at the Hotel Conrad to day, where she has on exhibition a very handsome line of decorated china, which is being warmly admired by the many who have called.

The body of Mrs. Peter Barnhart arrived this morning from Chicago. The deceased was a resident of Massillon and vicinity for sixty-five years, removing to Chicago several years ago, and was the mother of Mrs. John Stephan, Jr. The funeral will take place from St. Mary's German Catholic church to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Constable Shepley went to Lawrence township this morning and replevined household goods, valued at about \$100, in the possession of T. W. McCue and others in an action brought by Henry Baker, of Wooster. The case will be tried in Justice Paul's court on Thursday of next week.

The Cleveland World has this to say of a former Massillonian. "Mr. C. T. Bicknell, for several years past secretary and treasurer of the Cleveland Paper Company, has resigned his position to take effect on April 1. Mr. Bicknell is an energetic and successful business man. He will, after a short rest, enter other business."

Dr. S. P. Grill, of Orrville, a member of the Massillon board of pension examiners under Mr. Cleveland, died yesterday at Atlanta, Ga., where he had been for some time, hoping to recover health. He was a prominent Knight Templar, and a member of Massillon Commandery up to the time of the organization of Wooster Commandery.

In an interview with a gentleman from Ft. Wayne, it is learned that the Pennsylvania Company, west of Crest line, is reducing its force by one-third. Four hundred men at the Ft. Wayne shops, 300 men at Chicago, 50 operators, section men, clerks in the dispatcher's office and 15 crews have been discharged within the past ten days. The reason assigned is a dullness in the freight traffic—Alliance Review.

Messrs. C. Russell, S. A. Conrad and Jos. Miller appraised the real property included in the McConnell estate yesterday. The Jackson township farm, consisting of 165 acres, was appraised at \$65 per acre, exclusive of buildings, and the buildings given a value of \$500. In the partition James McConnell gets three-sevenths of this property and Moses Clay four-sevenths. Mr. Clay securing that portion on which the buildings are located.

Mr. Chaboudy's Explanation.  
Alexis Chaboudy, implicated as defendant in an assault case before Mayor Reed, yesterday, called at THE INDEPENDENT office this afternoon to make the following statement:

"I deny that Thomas Davis was addressing the chairman of the Amalgamated Association at the time of the assault, as published in yesterday's paper. Without any provocation whatever he twice addressed me by a foul name, pointed at me, and then started at me, as if to strike. What I did, I did, as I believed then, and do now, in self defense, and this can prove by the acting president."

Mr. Healy Well Satisfied.  
Joseph Healy called at THE INDEPENDENT office last night to correct the statement that he had asked a recount of the primary election votes. Mr. Healy made a splendid run as a candidate for street commissioner, and stated that he did not desire the impression to gain any ground that he was in any respect dissatisfied with the election or its results. He regarded it as a fair and open contest and none would be more faithful in support of the resultant ticket than he.

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para requiring scouring every day will be daubed with black paint. This order is the result of a clause in the list of grievances presented by the employees' committee. Hereafter the firemen will not be compelled to devote any time to keeping their engines clean, as there will be nothing about the machinery that will require additional work on the part of the firemen.

#### THE MAFIA IN CHICAGO.

Italian Cut Throat Knife a Citizen Who Denounces the Sicilians.  
Special Dispatch to The Independent.

CHICAGO, March 17.—In the present state of public feeling a tremendous sensation was caused here this morning, which usurps all other subjects. Frank Hogdon, while waiting for a street car, was heard to say that every member of the Mafia ought to be hung. He was instantly attacked by three Italians and horribly cut. The Italians all escaped.

#### LOCATING THE RESPONSIBILITY.

Coroner Openheimer Secures Important Testimony.

At Navarre, yesterday, Coroner Openheimer began to take testimony for the purpose of ascertaining the cause of the death of Postal Clerk W. T. McLean, who died at noon, Saturday, from injuries received in the W. & L. E. wreck at that village last Thursday. He examined thirteen witnesses, the aggregate evidence being voluminous in the extreme. From the mass is collected the following important testimony:

Jacob Kline—I am section foreman in the employ of the W. & L. E. road. I did some work on the switch, where the accident occurred, three months ago. I did not put in the switch. I was cutting rail for where the frog was taken out. I helped to spike the track. I surfaced up the switch after the work was done. The switch was in good condition when I looked at it in the morning. The switch, at any time I looked at it, was laying up as tight as it could lay. The nails we drove in the bridge rod were to make up the lock motion. I was always satisfied that the switch was all right. I don't believe I ever told Mr. Adly that it was not a safe switch. There were nails on the sidetrack rail but none on the main. Last Saturday there were not three nails on one side and six on the other. This was the same switch. When Reynolds uses nails for the same purpose that I do. We had to use nails to make it safer. I notified the company last fall that the switch was not safe, and have been trying to get the new switch, but they would not allow it.

Another important witness was John Thomas, the principle feature of his testimony being that he had heard Section Foreman Jacob Klein tell Roadmaster Adly several months ago that an accident would occur at that switch if it was not repaired.

The coroner will be in Massillon on Wednesday to take the testimony of Jas. M. Clark, who was a passenger on the train, and one or two others, and his verdict will then be rendered in a day or two.

An attorney from Alliance was with the coroner at Navarre to look after the interests of the parents of the dead postal clerk, and he stated to an INDEPENDENT reporter last night that the railroad company was clearly culpable for the death.

Another Case For the Coroner.  
Special Dispatch to The Independent.

CANTON, March 17.—The coroner was called to Alliance this afternoon to investigate the cause of the death of a newly born infant, found yesterday by children. The head was missing from the body, and the officer who went to bury the body found the head back of his own stable. He tried to keep the matter quiet, but it leaked out through the children.

A W. & L. E. Brakeman Killed.  
J. D. Dean, a freight brakeman on the Wheeling & Lake Erie road, met a shocking death at Orrville to-day. He was "dropping in" cars, and, while climbing down between two of them to pull a coupling pin, fell between. The wheels caught his heel, and he had pressure of mind sufficient to make an effort to throw himself outside of the track, but failed and was carried between the rails. One arm and one leg were cut off and death ensued from shock about noon two hours after the accident. He was 24 years of age, was married on the 27th of last month, and lived at Fremont.

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## FAITHFUL TO BIG ED

THE DEMOCRATIC HALF  
FEAR TO DROP THE BOSS.

Republican Members Turn to Ford and Riddle, Both Good Men, but the Other Side Continue to Make a Moral Exhibition of Themselves.

All members of the council were in their seats on time last night and the lobby was packed with an expectant throng which was attracted to witness a revival of the contest for the position of driver at the central engine house.

Report of the street commissioner for the week ending March 14 \$48 33, was accepted and ordered paid.

City Clerk Loeffler read his annual report which was accepted and ordered spread on file. Mr. Hering moved, and it was agreed to, that there be given to two city papers for publication one week. After the council adjourned the committee on printing decided that the report should be published in the daily papers.

An ordinance establishing a street railroad route and providing for the construction and maintenance of the same was read the second time.

Mr. Dangler thought that action on the ordinance should be postponed, for the reason that it was not such an ordinance as was wanted, and the projectors of the enterprise were waiting to receive a copy of a suitable ordinance.

THE SOLICITOR'S SUGGESTION.

The solicitor suggested that if the desired ordinance came to hand prior to the next meeting it could be published for the information of the public, but that it should be acted upon at the next meeting.

Mr. Dangler was opposed to action on the matter until an ordinance was prepared to submit to the people. He was willing to delay action six weeks if necessary.

On motion of Mr. Clutz the ordinance was referred to the select committee consisting of Messrs. Dangler and Seiler, to report at the next meeting.

The ordinance providing for a regulation uniform for the policemen and marshal came up in its regular order for third reading. Mr. Leu expressed himself as in favor of the uniforms but was opposed to the city paying for them, and on his motion the ordinance was laid over for one week.

Mr. Volkmar reported on the claim of Mrs. Clara Larmer, asking \$1000 in damages to her lot in the city street, for the effect that the matter had been in the hands of the committee was unable to find where any damage had been done.

A HALF YEAR'S APPORTIONMENT.

The committee on ways and means reported the following:  
To the Honorable City Council of the City of Massillon:

GENTLEMEN:—The ways and means committee respectfully report to you the following apportionment of money received from the county treasurer to the several funds:

Electric light and gas.....\$ 3,000 00  
City prison and police..... 2,000 00  
Fire department..... 1,000 00  
Water works..... 4,000 00  
Street and alley..... 4,825 51  
Street commissioner..... 1,100 00  
Salaries..... 2,057 50  
Board of health..... 150 00  
City engineer..... 300 00  
Incidental..... 1,300 00  
Interest..... 769 00  
Sinking fund..... 3,000 00

Total in all funds.....\$ 35,491 01  
Received from county treasurer..... 23,549 01  
We also recommend that the funds now in the general sewer fund, together with the sewer assessments collected between this date and July 1, 1891, be set apart and remain in said fund to apply on sewer bonds of \$4,500, due July 1, 1891.

J. E. DANGLER,  
J. L. HERRING,  
JOHN A. SEILER,  
Committee.

On motion of Mr. Leu the report was accepted.

A bill of the water company for \$85.50 for flushing sewers, seemed to be an extra, as no one knew anything about it, and it went to the water committee.

[This bill, so Supt. Wade states, is for supplying water for sewer construction.]

#### BIG ED'S UNDERGROUND BOOM.

Under the call for miscellaneous business Mr. Clutz introduced a very gentle and childlike resolution providing that the vacancy in the driver's position at the central engine house be filled by the members of Hose Company No. 1, and that the person so selected perform his duties under such rules and regulations as said company may adopt, said rules and regulations to be approved by the standing committee on fire department of the council.

Mr. Dangler tersely stated that he was not there to throw away any rights, one of which was the election of the driver in question, and was opposed to the resolution. The resolution was defeated without a call of the yeas and nays.

On motion of Mr. Hering the body proceeded to ballot for a driver for the central engine house. L. S. Stoehr and William Royer were appointed tellers.

REPUBLICANS NOT STUBBORN.

The 207th ballot, the first of the evening, resulted as follows: Robert Ford, 4, Ed M. Ertle, 4.

When the result was announced the clerk remarked, sotto voce, "Ah, hal! They've sprung a dark horse on us."

On the 212th ballot the four Republican votes were cast for John Riddle, the Democrats remaining loyal to their local boss.

When the 216th ballot was ordered Mr. Hering stated that there was no apparent prospect at arriving at a solution of the question and moved that the approved bills be read and that the council adjourn for two weeks. Carried.

Mr. Dangler called attention to the fact that bills for printing the ordinance and regulations of the water company in two newspapers had been presented by W. M. Newstetter and J. J. Hoover, and he could not approve them for the reason that, as far as he could ascertain, their publication had not been ordered.

Knap & Dillon.....\$ 9 47  
Massillon Electric Light Co..... 186 05  
Wagner & Roubur..... 13 00  
Frank Reese..... 13 00  
D. C. Seguer..... 6 70  
J. C. Miller..... 44 40  
Massillon Gas Light Co..... 4 50  
Tus in Getz..... 23 46  
Massillon Central Coal Co..... 10 07  
William Yost..... 178 00  
F. A. Garfield..... 250 00

## In the Spring the Young Man's Fancy

Lightly turns to thoughts of Dress, and a most important part of it is the Hat, Ties, Gloves, &c., which lends a touch of Dash and Brilliance to his attire. He wants the latest, most stylish and the best. We are in a position to meet his fancy and wishes. We have an immense assortment of stunning novelties, for the lowest popular prices. Look out for our line of Easter Ties.

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And Men



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M. E. Hub, corner North and High.  
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Wagner & Rauber, Charles street.

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Six Months......50  
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TUESDAY, MARCH 17, 1891

## This Date in History—March 17.

St. Patrick's Day: St. Patrick, patron saint of Ireland, born 372; arrived in Ireland about 432; died about 493.

1640—Death of Philip Massinger, French dramatic poet.

1719—Death of Bishop Gilbert Burnet, historian.

1741—Death of Jean Baptiste Rousseau, French lyric poet; born 1700.

1776—Boston evacuated by the British.

1803—Egypt evacuated by the English.

1841—President Harrison called an extraordinary session of congress to legislate upon the subject of finance and revenue.

1860—Death of Mrs. Anna Jameson, writer on art; born 1797.

1861—Tide of king of Italy conferred on Victor Emmanuel.

1863—Battle of Kelley's Ford, Va., eight Federal cavalry regiments and a battery against Fitzhugh Lee's cavalry; first purely cavalry battle of the war; loss about 100 on each side.

1864—Cavalry battle at Manchester, Tenn.

1864—Died in London, England, Thomas Bell, English scientist, aged 88 years.

1888—Died, Zachariah Allen, inventor of the automatic cut-off valve for steam engines and a hot air furnace; born in Rhode Island Sept. 18, 1795.

It is still Big Ed. Ertle, Boss.

Mighty is the Bum power, but thank fortune it does not yet prevail.

The next Senate will have forty-eight Republicans and forty Democrats. It is a great and consoling fact.

Big Ed. Ertle, Boss, should procure medals for the Democratic cohorts who so persistently cast their ballots for him.

The Ohio State Journal has issued a very handy little statistical annual, filled with figures of great usefulness to most Ohioans.

The suggested amendment of the police uniform ordinance is exactly what is needed. The patrolmen have not asked the city to pay their clothing bills, and it was a ridiculous piece of business to incorporate that feature in the pending measure, which is otherwise proper.

During the seven days of last week, fifteen loaded boats passed the port of Massillon, and the canal was frozen part of the time, too. During the months of December, January and February 4,600 tons of coal were received from the canal by the city of Akron alone—equal to 300 car loads. And they say the canal is dead!

The attention of THE INDEPENDENT has been called to the frequency with which loads of hay and straw, often as many as three, usurp the main business streets for hours at a time, to the annoyance of the general public. The streets are not to be occupied as a market, and the presence of these immense loads should not be continued, when there are market squares for the purpose. The only ordinance on street obstructions does not seem to reach this matter.

The plea that the attempted \$10,000 sewer steal, by the city of Canton, was not for an improvement, but in the nature of pay for sewer privileges is disgusting. Who ever heard of private property holders paying for sewer privileges, as distinguished from the cost of sewer construction? January 26, 1890, P. L. Manly wrote to THE INDEPENDENT, "I would say the commissioners agreed to pay \$10,000 toward the construction of the sewer." The commissioners had best not push their defense in the injunction suit too vigorously. The people will not stand it. It is a steal.

It is always well to take a comparative view of things, and these figures are from the city clerk's reports for the two years:

|                              | '90        | '91         |
|------------------------------|------------|-------------|
| Balance in funds.....        | \$5,631.88 | \$12,798.46 |
| Corporation taxes.....       | 30,746.86  | 41,060.72   |
| Licenses and fines.....      | 187.00     | 339.00      |
| Total receipts.....          | 69,570.00  | 65,197.88   |
| Total expenditures.....      | 66,872.02  | 63,822.88   |
| Paid streets and alleys..... | 19,972.04  | 9,713.81    |
| Paid light.....              | 6,809.33   | 6,342.94    |
| Paid police.....             | 5,355.33   | 4,020.00    |
| Paid engineer.....           | 914.17     | 929.60      |
| Paid fire department.....    | 3,274.84   | 3,197.92    |
| Net assets.....              | \$2,641.08 | 4,147.80    |

The figures given as net assets

show precisely what balance would be left over all indebtedness should the city have ceased to exist at the end of its fiscal year, 1890 or 1891.

This 17th day of March being the St. Patrick's Day of our Irish friends, it would not be amiss to make inquiry regarding the Irish Saint who appears not to have been an Irishman after all, but was sent to Ireland as a missionary by Pope Celestine, about the year 431. The true place of his birth is not fully agreed upon by the authorities. One gives the honor to a spot on or near the coast of France, on his father's farm, not far from the present city of Bologna; the other place assigned is on the estuary of the river Clyde, near the modern Dumbarton. Thus St. Patrick is liable to have been either a Frenchman, born about the year 380, or a Scotchman. At the age of 16 he was captured by pirates, taken to Ireland and there sold as a slave to an Irish chieftain. After a captivity of six years he escaped to France and became a monk at Tours. At the ripe age of over fifty he was sent among the Irish people and seems to have been eminently successful in introducing the light of Christianity among them. Why this day should have been set apart in his honor, information is not given.

## AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

Snatches of News from City and the Court House.

CANTON, March 17.—Coroner Openheimer concluded his inquiry into the death of Messenger McLean, in the recent Wheeling & Lake Erie wreck at Navarre. A number of witnesses were examined but no verdict has been given out.

Fire in a West Ninth street house, occupied by Jeff Cashner, this morning, caused by the explosion of a lamp, did several hundred dollars' damage. The dwelling was fully insured. Cashner carried his wife and children from the building, and after hard work by the department, succeeded in saving the house.

Suit was filed in common pleas court Monday, by twenty-one property owners on South Cleveland avenue, to enjoin the city council from making improvements on that thoroughfare. A temporary injunction was granted. The suit is the result of a controversy, the property owners objecting to the cut which the change of grade by reason of the improvement would necessitate.

The name of ex Mayor George Rex is added to the list of those anxious to secure the Republican nomination for mayor at the primaries next Saturday. Marriage licenses have been issued to Wilbur H. Deane and Eva P. Packer, of Canton. Chas E. Wagoner and Ada Siffert, of Massillon, and Wm. Warstler and Ellen Druehnbrod, of New Berlin.

Rev. Father Arnold has gone to New York, and will sail for a five months tour of the Holy Land. George W. Wise living north of town is dead, at the age of 81 years. The Mentzer road case of Bethlehem township is being heard by the commissioners today.

Eveline Snyder was to-day appointed guardian of Myrtle O. Snyder, of Navarre. Candidates for the various city offices are coming out in force. There are now three candidates for mayor on both sides and there will be considerable hustling this week. The primaries occur next Saturday. Those of Republican faith who are anxious to secure the mayoralty nomination are G. V. L. Mellinger, Dr. George B. Cook and John N. Ram. The Democratic aspirants are John F. Blake, the present incumbent, J. B. Michener and Justice of the Peace Mark K. Wettach. The Republicans are united and propose to win in the coming fight. The election will be under the management of the board of elections.

## SUFFRAGISTS AT FULTON.

Mrs. C. McC. Everhard Tells Why Women Want to Vote.

A party of ladies, members of the Massillon Equal Rights Association went to Canal Fulton yesterday, to be present at the regular monthly meeting of the association at that place. The meeting was held in the Methodist church and was well attended, not only by women but by the other sex also. After singing the suffrage song "Columbia's Daughters," the minutes were read and approved. The president, Mrs. Lytle, then introduced Mrs. Caroline McCullough Everhard, who in a brief but interesting manner gave a history of the work that is being done throughout the state, and urged the association to become auxiliary to the state association, and also to be well represented at the state convention, which will be held in May, at Warren.

During her remarks she referred to a question that was asked her before the meeting, "Why do women want suffrage?" "Why do men want to vote?" was her characteristic reply. "Why do men value the ballot? For the same reason do women prize and want that privilege. This is a free republic, and we are governed by the voice of the people. Yet only about one-half have a voice in the making of the laws, the other is classed with the idiots, lunatics, and criminals. The ballot is woman's birthright, and how much longer must she plead for that right?"

The association at Fulton, although recently organized, has a membership of forty, among whom are found some very earnest workers. It is hoped that some good work will be heard of as being done in that part of the country.

## Another New Saloon.

George Scheer and son will open a saloon and restaurant in the property of the first named in North Mill street about April 1.

## ECHOES FROM THE SHOPS.

Note and Comment on Men and Doings at Russell Co.'s.

J. H. Williams was in Canton to-day. Henry Hubbard left last night for Peru, Ind., where he will indicate a 20x27, four valve Russell engine at an electric light plant.

When the constitution and by-laws of the Benefit Insurance Association were amended at the recent meeting, it was the unanimous request of the members present, as well as the expressed desire of members generally before and at the meeting, that the amount of assessment and number of benefit weeks be not changed. It was also known that this would necessitate an assessment or two during the year, but it was decided that this was the best plan to adopt, and it is believed, yet meets with the approval of the members. One of these assessments has been made, and it should not alarm anyone, for this is the season of the year when the number of sick and disabled reaches the highest figure. About three weeks ago it reached the highest point. Coupled with this there were two deaths in one week, and it is fortunate that one assessment was sufficient. The sick list is now reduced about one half since last month.

## THE U. C. D. MEETING.

Roman History After the Second Punic War.

The topic of the U. C. D. club last evening, "The important events in the history of Rome, from the conclusion of the second Punic war through to the first Triumvirate inclusive of the death of Pompey," embracing a period of about 140 years, to 60 B. C., was quite fully discussed by Mr. H. H. Everhard.

Rome's continued wars had drawn out and developed men of eminent ability—aspiring, jealous of each other, and led to sanguinary civil wars; her armies drew the better class of citizens from the rural districts to be swallowed and lost in the bloody vortex; the lands, held in large tracts by rich men residing within the city, were farmed by foreigners and slaves who were compelled to work in chains; not black slaves, but white men captured in their devastating wars, who in many instances were the peers of their aristocratic owners. From the spoils of war large sums of money were gathered within the walls of the city. The government was able to carry on its vast and expensive operations without levying a dollar of tax; then, as now, capital in great amounts accumulated in the hands of the few, some of whom lived in sumptuous houses costing from \$150,000 to \$600,000, and while Rome was rich, she possessed neither manufactures nor commerce. Soldiers, bums and loafers swarmed within the city, and we are presented with a spectacle of shameful bribery and corruption, such as we may now see in our own country.

"Immense riches were accumulated and squandered in brutal pleasures. Luxury and beggary swarmed in the midst of unbounded wealth." The lofty sentiments of virtue, justice and freedom had no abiding place in the minds of the people of a state thus worm-eaten and rotten to the core, and it required but the organizing ability of a demagogue to mould and lead a party from this swarming, reeking mass and mount to a place of power and absolutism.

## AMUS MENTS.

### St. Patrick's Day in the Evening

The Ancient Order of Hibernians will celebrate this evening in Music Hall. Dr. Stafford, rector of St. Joseph's—this is confidential—is master of ceremonies, and after the serious festivities, in the way of eating, have been finished, there will be an oratorical banquet, so to speak, with plenty of music between courses.

### The "U. S. Mail."

"Say? You can say anything about 'The U. S. Mail' to be here Thursday night," said Manager Porter to-day, "just so it is good. It is one of the best farce comedies on the road, and I can guarantee it."

### A Royal Pass.

"A Royal Pass" will follow "The U. S. Mail," at Buchers, Friday evening. It is a good all round comedy, with plenty of special scenery.

### Concert Postponed.

My concert will be postponed until some time in the near future, when due notice will be given of its rendition.

J. T. RIDGE.

### Order of Adolph.

Members are requested to attend Tuesday evening's meeting, Important business. G. F. BRECKEL, President.

The best tomatoes in the city 12 cans for \$1.00 at G. F. Breckel's grocery.

9 cans of the best canned apples for \$1.00 at G. F. Breckel's grocery.

10 cans extra golden pumpkin for \$1.00 at G. F. Breckel's grocery.

## SCROFULA

Is that impurity of the blood which produces unsightly lumps or swellings in the neck; which causes running sores on the arms, legs, or feet; which develops ulcers in the eyes, ears, or nose, often causing blindness or deafness; which is the origin of pimples, cancerous growths, or "humors"; which, fastening upon the lungs, causes consumption and death. It is the most ancient of all diseases, and very few persons are entirely free from it.

### How Can CURED

By taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, which, by the remarkable cures it has accomplished, has proven itself to be a potent and peculiar medicine for this disease. If you suffer from scrofula, try Hood's Sarsaparilla. "Every spring my wife and children have been troubled with scrofula, my little boy, three years old, being a terrible sufferer. Last spring he was one mass of sores from head to feet. We took Hood's Sarsaparilla, and all have been cured of the scrofula. My little boy is entirely free from sores, and all four of my children look bright and healthy."

W. B. ABERTON, Passaic City, N. J.

### Hood's Sarsaparilla

Sold by all druggists, 21¢; six for \$1. Prepared only by C. I. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

100 Doses One Dollar

## Ho! the Racket!

Dielhenn Bros' stock of groceries and queensware has been moved to 46 South Erie street, where it will be sold regardless of cost, commencing Monday, March 16. Come to the racket store for big bargains in all kinds of goods.

Respectfully, T. GETZ.

So many have been cured of rheumatism by Hood's Sarsaparilla that we urge all who suffer from this disease to try this medicine.

## Bucher's Opera House

ONE NIGHT ONLY

Thursday, March 19th,

LETTERS HAVE FUN.

Engagement of the rollicking farcial success.

## U. S. MAIL

An uproarious satire on the postal service.

S E The Funny Postoffice Scene, S E The Dainty Letter Carriers, S E The Queer Printing Shop, S E The Three High Rollers, S E The Three Green Jays, S E "I'm Not Baby McKee."

## A GREAT CAST.

Clever Comedians

Handsome Costumes, Pretty Girls.

U. S. Mail will make U. S. Mile

Prices, 75, 50, and 25

Reserved Seats on sale at the Independent Company's Store.

## Bucher's Opera House

ONE NIGHT ONLY

FRIDAY, March 20

The Favorite German Dialect Comedian, Mr.

## GEO. C. STALEY

The World's Greatest Lullaby Singer and Yoder, in his Successful Comedy,

## A ROYAL PASS!

A Superb Company of Players,

Picturesque Costumes,

New and Catchy Songs,

See the great

## Locomotive Race.

Two real working engines, whistles blown with real steam, the greatest railroad show on earth.

Prices 25, 50 and 75 cts.

Reserved seats on sale at the Independent Company's Store.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

### STREET COMMISSIONER.

The name of Thomas Volkmer is announced as a candidate for street commissioner, subject to the Democratic primary election. We are authorized to announce the name of John J. Geis as a candidate for Street Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries at the spring election. The name of John A. Voet is announced as a candidate for street commissioner, subject to the Democratic primary election. CITY TREASURER. The name of Paul Kirchner is announced as a candidate for the nomination for city treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election. The name of Louis List is announced as a candidate for the office of City Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election.

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed bids, by the perch, will be received by the commissioners of Stark County, Ohio, at their office, at 12 o'clock noon, April 7th, 1891, for two stone abutments for a bridge across the west branch of the Nimishillen creek on the Honsel road. Plans and specifications will be on file in the auditor's office, Canton, Ohio, and after April 1st, 1891, each bidder to enclose with his bid a bond in the sum of \$200.00, with two resident sureties to the satisfaction of the commissioners, that he or they will enter into contract if awarded. Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

L. A. LOICHOT, Auditor.

### NOTICE.

OFFICE OF CITY CLERK.

MASSILLON, OHIO, March 2, 1891. Notice is hereby given that D. F. Henry, William H. Graham and J. W. McDonald, have on this 2nd day of March, 1891, made application to the Council of Massillon, Ohio, for permission to construct and operate a street railroad in the following streets, viz: Beginning at the corporation line on Main street, thence west to corporation line of same street. Beginning at the corporation line on Akron street, thence south to Cherry street, thence west on Cherry to Mill street, south on Mill street to Main street, thence from Main on Erie street to the south corporation line. The number of tracks on each street to be one except where double tracks are specified. Said grant to be for twenty-five (25) years. J. W. LOEFFLER, City Clerk.

### COOK'S Cotton Root Compound

Composed of Cotton Root, Tansy and Pennyroyal—a recent discovery by an old physician. Is successfully used monthly—Safe, Effectual. Price \$1, by mail, sealed. Ladies, ask your druggist for Cook's Cotton Root Compound and take no substitute, or enclose 2 stamps for sealed particulars. Address FOND LILY COMPANY, No. 3 Fisher Block, 121 Woodward ave., Detroit, Mich. Sold in Massillon by Z. T. Baltzly.

### Children Cry for

Pitcher's Castoria.

Would you buy gold dollars at 50 cents apiece?

Would you pass any kind of a snap if you knew it?

Will you do so now?

We are going to build and must tear out the entire inside of our store. We are going to sell everything between the walls, principally

## BOOTS and SHOES

These we will sell and our prices will sell them. Come and see

H. H. FILLIE & SON

## Remember Sippo Valley Flour

Retails at \$1.25 per 1/4 bbl Sack.

## CLOTHING,

HATS, CAPS

—AND—

Furnishing - Goods

—AT A—

Reduction of 25 Per Cent

—AT—

UNTIL APRIL 1

J. & H. DIEHENN,

11 E. Main and 6 S. Erie St., - Massillon, O.

For Bargains in Carriages & Wagons See P. H. Young

## CITY LIVERY!

P. GRIBBLE Proprietor.

First-Class in all its Appointments.

Commercial Trade Solicited. Prompt Delivery.

Telephone 77.

Don't Buy Until You See Young's Stock of Buggies

## A Resolution.

To submit the question of issuing bonds of the City of Massillon for the purchasing of grounds and the erection of public buildings thereon, in the sum of \$35,000.00 to the electors at the next general election.

SECTION 1. Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Massillon, Ohio, that at the general municipal elections to be held on the first Monday in April, 1891, in said city, there shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said city, the question whether this council shall have authority to borrow the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000) and issue bonds therefor to bear interest not exceeding 6 per cent per annum payable semi-annually, and payable in semi-annual series in twenty years from date of issue, in accordance with an act of the general assembly of Ohio, passed February 27th, 1891, for the purposes of purchasing grounds and the erection of public buildings.

SECTION 2. Resolved further, that notice thereof shall be given by the clerk for ten days previous to said election, by publication in two newspapers published in and of general circulation in this city, and the mayor shall also include the same in his annual proclamation for said election.

SECTION 3. Be it further resolved, that the tickets at said election shall have written or printed thereon the words: "Issue of bonds for public buildings yes—no."

Passed March 10, 1891.

A test JACOB R. SCHLAGEL, President of the City Council of Massillon, Ohio.

H. W. LOEFFLER, City Clerk.

## A Resolution

To submit the question of issuing bonds of the City of Massillon in the sum of fifty thousand dollars, for the purpose of general improvement and the best interest of the city, at the next general election.

SECTION 1. Be it resolved by the council of the city of Massillon, Ohio, that at the general municipal elections to be held on the first Monday of April, 1891, in said city, there shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said city, the question whether this council shall have authority to borrow the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) and issue bonds of said city therefor, to bear interest not exceeding the rate of six per cent, payable semi-annually, and payable in not less than two nor more than twenty years, in semi annual series as this council shall hereafter determine, in accordance with an act of the General Assembly of Ohio passed February 26, 1891, for the purpose of general improvement, and the best interest of said city.

SECTION 2. Be it further resolved, that notice thereof shall be given by the clerk of this city for ten days previous to the election, by publication in two newspapers of general circulation in this city, and the mayor shall also include a concise statement thereof in his annual proclamation for said election.

SECTION 3. Be it further resolved, that the tickets at said election shall have written or printed thereon the words "Authority to issue bonds—yes." "Authority to issue bonds—no."

Passed March 10, 1891.







## HUMAN FLESH BURNED.

AN ENTIRE FAMILY CAUGHT IN A FIRE  
TRAP AT PITTSBURG.

Three of Them Fatally Injured—Two Babies Among the Unfortunates—The House a Two-Story Frame and Burned Like Tinder—Some Badly Hurt by Jumping.

PITTSBURG, March 17.—A fire attended with dreadful consequences occurred in Wassers' row, Eden alley, near Forty-first street, shortly after 11 o'clock last night. Five members of the family of Wolf Kupermann, his wife, three small children and his brother-in-law were all frightfully burned, and three of them are expected to die as a result of their injuries. They were removed to the West Penn hospital for treatment. The victims and the nature and extent of their injuries are given below:

Mrs. Rachael Kupermann, 37 years of age, terribly burned about the face, neck, head, arms and entire upper portion of the body; will probably die.

Simon Kupermann, brother of Wolf Kupermann, aged 17 years, badly burned about the face, chest, arms and internally; will die.

David Kupermann, aged 47 years, burned about the face, arms and hands; condition critical.

Trice Kupermann, aged 2 years, burned about the hands, face, feet and body; condition critical.

Infant Kupermann, 4 weeks old, badly burned from head to foot in a dreadful manner; will die.

## Heard the Cry of a Child.

The alarm was sent in from box 73. The fire was discovered by the Nossner family. When the engines arrived the house was enveloped in smoke and flame. A fireman was ascending the first ladder placed against the house, when the piteous cry of a child drew his attention to a window. It had been stated to him that all the inmates were in safety. As the cry of the child was heard a second-story window was broken through and two men leaped out. The house was a two-story frame and burned like tinder. An instant later a fireman came down the ladder with a baby in his arms, followed by another carrying a child. Other firemen followed and in a few minutes three children, their mother and a lad of 17 years had been carried down the ladder, all screaming from pain.

## A Pitiful Sight.

The sight was one of the most pitiful. The smell of burned human flesh tainted the air for a block. The victims, several of whom had only been rescued probably to linger until death put a period to the tortures they endured, were taken up tenderly. Of the five carried down all were badly burned. The men who jumped from the front room window were Solomon Goldberg and Frank Smith, who boarded with the family. Goldberg had his wrist torn by broken glass, and Smith had his hip dislocated. The fire was caused by the explosion of a hanging lamp in the dining room. The family were all upstairs, and the flames spread quickly. The room and stairway were filled with flames before they were aware of the fire.

## THE OHIO LEGISLATURE.

The Fate of the Cincinnati Charter Bill—The Rawlins Tax Bill—Compulsory Educational Bill in the House.

COLUMBUS, O., March 17.—The absorbing theme in political circles is the fate of the Cincinnati charter bill. The Hamilton county delegation have returned from their Sunday visit and there is a marked change. With one exception, all of the Cincinnati members are opposed to the bill in its present form, and unless it is amended so as to keep the board of public improvement in existence it is doubtful whether it will pass. The object is to keep Mr. Reemelin and others in power, and the indications are that the legislative conflict which prevailed during the special session will be renewed. The opposition is not confined to Hamilton county men, but includes members from different parts of the state, and all of the anti-Campbell faction prominent at the special session. It is thought that if Governor Campbell desires the bill can be passed.

The Rawlins tax bill, with amendments, was returned from the senate. Mr. Rawlins and others are opposed to the Adams amendment and in case the senate refuses to recede the house will ask for a conference committee twice the usual size.

Mr. Pennell, of Brown, introduced a bill in the house making an important amendment to the compulsory educational law. The bill adds to section 10 of the law, which compels the trustee officer to report to the poor authorities cases where children under the age of 14 are partially or wholly dependent upon their own labor for a living, and that the board of education shall provide clothing for indigent children.

Senator Morrison introduced a bill requiring surety companies to deposit \$200,000 as a guarantee fund with the state insurance commissioner.

Speaker Hysell received a letter from Representative Shearer, of Union, stating that he had slipped on the icy pavement on Saturday and received serious injuries.

Senator Gummer introduced a joint resolution to adjourn April 6.

## A NEW RAILROAD SCHEME.

The Central Traffic Association to Abolish Second-Class Tickets.

TOLEDO, O., March 17.—Railroads in the Central Traffic Association territory were notified yesterday by Vice Chairman Doran that a movement was on foot to abolish second-class tickets. The association now sell tickets first class unlimited, first class limited and second class limited. The latter ticket is sold at a reduction of about 10 per cent. on the first-class limited. The objection raised is that certain roads in the association are giving better accommodations than the second-class tickets call for, just to secure business. Each line has been requested to present its views on the question to the Central Traffic Association. A number of general passenger agents are of the opinion that it would not be wise to abolish second-class rates.

## Leading Horsemen Organize.

TOLEDO, O., March 17.—Prominent horsemen of this city met Saturday evening and organized a \$100,000 trotting and racing association. It is interesting and promising association. It is intended to build a kite-shaped track and arrange for an early fall meeting.

## MUSICAL LOGOMACHY.

Recommended as Superior to Tiddie-de Winks.

The following note came to THE INDEPENDENT the other day:

MR. EDITOR.—The enclosed is from Saturday's Cincinnati Commercial Gazette. I do not regard it as a superior literary effort and suspect the writer was personally interested in introducing the game, but if you choose to publish it perhaps some one may be induced to take an interest in a higher order of amusement than tiddie-de winks.

And the following enclosure:

"There are eight books, each book is a composer's name, each card in the book is a letter in the name; then on the card of the first letter of the name is an account of that composer's birth, incidents in his life and date of death, and at the bottom a bar from his music; this same bar is continued on every card of the book, but the anecdotes about the composer on each card are different.

"Take for instance, Book No. 2—Mozart—because the reading matter in that is not so lengthy as some others, and will show you just what I mean.

"M' is the first card. On the center of this is Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart, was born in Salzburg, January 27, 1756. He was carefully trained by his father, who resigned his position as court musician to devote himself more exclusively to his family. Then at the bottom a bar from one of his sonatas.

"O' is on the next card. On this is—Mozart had pupils who nothing of five hours' practice a day. The same bit of music is continued on each card of that book.

"Z' is next.—Mozart's wife was Constance Weber, and they were married in Mannheim, at the house of the Baroness Waldstein, in 1772.

"A' next.—The culminating point in Mozart's artistic career was in 1786. The marriage of Figaro was the first of a series of masterpieces, which cannot be surpassed, alike for musical greatness and their hold on the lyric stage.

"R'—At Rome Mozart attended the Sistine Chapel, and wrote the score of Allegri's great mass, forbidden by the Pope to be copied from the memory of a single performance.

"The last card of the book has, 'At the time of Mozart's last illness the world was ringing his praises. He had the offer of the rich appointment of organist of St. Stephen's cathedral, and flattering propositions were made to him by eager managers. But it was too late. He died in 1791.

"There you see you have Mozart's life and career in a nutshell; there being eight of these books, all the greatest musicians, one absorbs quite a knowledge of them in a most pleasant way. It is a study in musical literature 'done up' in a game.

"Musical logomachy is played like an other, except that there is a 'Yankee Doodle' card, the joker of the game, in this, and when one has called a card they need to complete a book, if the one called from does not have that card, he may hand over whatever card he pleases and if one holds the 'Yankee Doodle' of course they give that, and so goes round and round until the end of the game."

Oru had limestone for walks. Large or small quantities. Inquire of J. V. R. Kinn-r.

## At Boss Smith's Corners.

The usual Sunday night cooking main took place this week at Boss Smith's Corners, before a large and highly edited assemblage.

## Ticks by Telegraph.

BISMARCK, N. D., March 17.—Ex-Senator Pierce has about concluded to accept the Japanese mission.

NEW ORLEANS, March 17.—The river keeps climbing up, and the greatest flood in the history of the city is now upon it. Almost everything else is forgotten.

ROME, March 17.—Excitement over the New Orleans affair is less demonstrative. The people are waiting to see what the government does.

LONDON, March 17.—A convention to settle the Chilean resolution is contemplated.

## The President Interviewed.

Special Dispatch to THE INDEPENDENT.

NEW YORK, March 16.—The Tribune publishes a long interview this morning, with the president, in which he says he thinks legislation in favor of free coinage of silver has gone far enough. He is proud of the new navy and thinks the tariff bill will be an issue if the people's conscience be not dead.

## Fatally Burned at Pittsburg.

Special Dispatch to THE INDEPENDENT.

PITTSBURG, March 17.—In a fire at Lawrenceville, last night, David Kupermann, wife and three children were fatally burned.

To reduce my stock, preparatory to making extensive improvements in my store rooms, I will offer my entire stock of groceries, queensware and lamps, at and below cost, for 30 days. Wm. A. Pletzer, proprietor Enterprise grocery, No. 1 West Main street.

There will be an initiation of regularly elected candidates of Massillon Tent No. 10 K. O. T. M., Tuesday evening, March 17, at 7:30. All members are requested to be present. By order of Wm. FETZER, W. Commander.

BENTON SMITH, R. K.

The regular meeting of Abbie Lodge No. 10, D. of R., will be held Tuesday evening, March 17, in I. O. O. F. hall at 7:30. Business of importance.

John Fisher, who purchased the fruit stand of H. Her, will always have on hand a complete line of the finest stock fruits. Call and give him a trial.

"Ask your dealer for 'Enterprise Mill' white loaf flour. Take no other.

7 jars assorted jellies, 2 lb. each for \$1 at G. F. Breckel's grocery.

Wm. Weaver is working at Martin & Vogt's grocery.

The new homestead bread contains no adulteration but is pure, sweet and wholesome. Made by A. J. Richeimer.

## ANNUAL REPORT

Of the City Clerk of Massillon, O., for the fiscal year ending March 16, 1891.

To the Honorable City Council of the City of Massillon.

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith submit to you my second annual report of the city finances for the year ending March 16, 1891:

RECEIPTS.

Balance in the several funds, March 15, 1890.....\$12,798 04

Corporation taxes received from county treasurer.....41,090 72

Fines and fees received from Mayor Reed.....330 00

Rent of City street house.....51 00

Rent of post house and pasture.....24 00

Collected.....212 16

Received from sale of street bonds.....5,637 46

Sewer assessments collected by the clerk.....15 00

Rebate from Massillon Water Company.....15 00

Total receipts.....\$65,197 38

AMOUNTS APPORTIONED.

Street Commissioner.....\$ 2,800 00

8 reets and allys.....9,711 89

Electric light and gas.....5,060 03

Fire Department.....2,163 00

City prison and police.....4,021 00

Water.....8,150 00

Salaries.....791 00

Incidentals.....1,851 11

Sinking fund with which to pay city bonds.....7,000 00

Interest on city bonds.....1,249 88

Board of Health.....5,487 46

General sewer fund March 15, 1890.....12,798 04

Total apportionments and balance.....\$65,197 38

EXPENDITURES.

STREET COMMISSIONER.

Balance March 15, 1890.....\$ 8 26

Apportioned.....2,800 00

Total.....2,808 26

Paid L. Limbach & others.....2,785 44

Balance.....22 82

STREETS AND ALLEYS.

Balance March 15, 1890.....\$ 10 60

Apportioned.....9,711 89

Total.....9,722 49

Paid sundry persons for grading, streets, crossings, curbs, etc.....9,713 31

Balance.....9 18

ELECTRIC LIGHT AND GAS.

Balance March 15, 1890.....\$ 442 39

Apportioned.....5,060 03

Total.....5,502 42

Paid Massillon Electric Light and Gas Co.....5,542 39

Balance.....5,542 39

WATERWORKS.

Balance March 15, 1890.....\$4,092 28

Apportioned.....8,150 00

Total.....12,242 28

Paid Massillon Water Co.....820 50

Eighteen months rent.....12,158 30

Balance.....18 92

CITY CIVIL ENGINEER.

Balance March 15, 1890.....120 46

Apportioned.....701 00

Total.....821 46

Paid city engineer and labor.....96

Balance.....821 46

SALARIES.

Balance March 15, 1890.....\$8 88

Apportioned.....1,851 11

Total.....1,860 00

Paid Salaries.....1,815 00

Balance.....45 00

SINKING FUND.

Balance March 15, 1890.....\$2,000 00

Paid city bonds.....7,000 00

Total.....9,000 00

Incidentals.....463 68

Apportioned.....2,764 00

Balance.....3,227 68

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Balance March 15, 1890.....\$ 4 40

Apportioned.....450 00

Total.....454 40

Paid T. C. Miller, Fred Rose and others.....423 75

Balance.....30 65

CITY HOSPITAL.

Balance March 15, 1890.....163 20

No expenses this year

GENERAL SEWER FUND.

Balance March 15, 1890.....\$4,412 94

Sewer Assessments Collected.....5,637 46

Total.....10,050 38

PAID ERIE STREET AND LATERAL SEWER, part Oak St. sewer, sewer Oak Street to canal, flush Tanks &c 9,331 18

Balance.....2,719 20

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Balance March 15, 1890.....1,039 72

Apportioned.....2,163 00

Total.....3,202 72

Paid firemen, hose repairs, etc.....3,197 92

Balance.....4 80

CITY PRISON AND POLICE.

Balance March 15, 1890.....\$ 5 30

Apportioned.....4,021 00

Total.....4,026 30

Paid Police etc.....4,020 90

Balance.....5 40

Balance to the credit of the sewer fund and in the treasury.....\$1,104 70

March 1891, money rec'd from county treasurer, in treasury.....23,549 01

Total amount now in city treasury.....26,653 71

Sewer assessments, payable to city, some due.....8,620 60

Total.....35,274 40

INDEBTEDNESS.

City bonds outstanding.....\$4,800 00

Estimated bills, outstanding.....1,826 60

Total indebtedness.....\$6,626 60

Cash in treasury and assessments, over all indebtedness.....\$14,780 00

Real bonded indebtedness.....\$15,900 00

Respectfully submitted H. W. LOEFFLER, City Clerk.

I hereby certify that I have deposited in the bank of this city, to the credit of the city of Massillon, \$26,653.71.

J. W. FOLTZ, City Treasurer.

NOTE.—\$7,000 of the city bonds were paid and redeemed during the past year. \$9,500 of city bonds will fall due this year and will be paid out of above apportionment and funds on hand; consequently it will be noticed that the real bonded indebtedness of the city is \$15,900.

Mr. James Lambert, of New Brunswick, Ill., says: "I was badly afflicted with rheumatism in the hips and legs, when I bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It cured me in three days. I am all right to-day and would insist on everyone who is afflicted with that terrible disease to use Chamberlain's Pain Balm and get well at once." For sale by Morganthaler & Heister.

25 bars celebrated Bell's Buffalo soap for \$1 at G. F. Breckel's grocery.

## PENNSYLVANIA'S PRIDE.

One Mother Gives Birth to Triplets and Another Goes One Better.

CLEARFIELD, PA., March 17.—About a week ago Mrs. William Snyder, of New Washington, this county, gave birth to triplets. Mrs. Jeremiah Cope, of Decatur township, went one better several days later, by presenting her lord and master with four babies at a birth.

The Body of Carl Ruttinger Identified.

NEW YORK, March 17.—Several persons have now identified the body of the man who was found bound and gagged in the water off Tottenville, S. I., as that of Carl Ruttinger and there is hardly a chance for a mistake in the identification. Ruttinger had his life insured for \$6,000, and owing to this fact, some persons doubt the identification, believing it a conspiracy to defraud the insurance companies. There was a rumor about police headquarters that Wright, the companion of Ruttinger, was Fred Evans, the Englishman who committed suicide in such a horrible manner in the Astor house on the 3d of February, the day after Ruttinger disappeared. The rumor, however, was discredited.

## Walloped the Principal.

SPRINGFIELD, O., March 17.—Noah Young and his three oldest sons took Principal L. A. Allen, of the school at Enon, five miles west of here, and nearly killed him, using a billy and kicking him mercilessly. They claimed he had imposed on Young's smallest son.

## Tired of Life.

SPRINGFIELD, O., March 17.—Fritz Bonstroche, aged 37, a widower with three children, suicided yesterday by taking arsenic. He called his eldest son just after taking the drug and said he was going to die; that he was tired of living.

Carter Harrison Nominated for Mayor.

CHICAGO, March 17.—Carter H. Harrison yesterday received the nomination of the Personal Rights League party and will make the run for mayor on that ticket if Cregier is nominated by the Democratic city convention.

Cut His Wife's Throat, Then His Own.

COSHOCOTON, O., March 17.—James Cheney, aged 35, while under the influence of liquor yesterday cut his wife's throat with a razor. He then cut his own and expired almost instantly. Mrs. Cheney may possibly recover.

## The Largest Woman.

GREENFIELD, O., March 17.—Mrs. Moore, the largest woman in the country, was buried here yesterday. Her coffin measured 6 feet 11 inches long by 2 feet wide.

A Little Girl's Experience in a Light House.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Trescott are keepers of the government lighthouse at Sand Beach, Mich., and are blessed with a daughter, 4 years old. Last April she was taken down with measles, followed with a dreadful cough and turning into a fever. Doctors at home and at Detroit treated her, but in vain; she grew worse rapidly until she was a mere "handful of bones." Then she tried Dr. King's New Discovery and after the use of two and a half bottles was completely cured. They say Dr. King's New Discovery is worth its weight in gold; yet you may get a free trial bottle at Z. T. Baltzly's Drug store.

## A Blessing to Humanity.

This is what N. H. Andrews, a prominent citizen of Springfield, O., says: "It affords me great pleasure to assure my friends that I have received both immediate and permanent relief of throat, bronchial and asthmatic trouble in the use of Dr. Acker's English Remedy. It is certainly a good honest medicine and a blessing to humanity." The above preparation we sell on a positive guarantee; it has given better satisfaction than any other remedy we have ever sold. J. M. Schuckers, and E. S. Craig druggist, Massillon, O.

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## The First Step.

Perhaps you are run down, can't eat, can't sleep, can't think, can't do anything to your satisfaction, and you wonder what ails you. You should heed the warning, you are taking the first step into Nervous Prostration. You need a Nerve Tonic and in Electric Bitters you will find the exact remedy for restoring your nervous system to its normal, healthy condition. Surprising results follow the use of this great Nerve Tonic and Alternative. Your appetite returns, good digestion is restored, and the Liver and Kidneys resume healthy action. Try a bottle. Price 50 cents at Z. T. Baltzly's drug store.

The following item has been going the rounds of the press, and as our druggist, Morganthaler & Heister, handle the goods, it may interest our readers:

Having had occasion to use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, it gives me pleasure to state that I found it to be the best medicine for a cough I ever used; in fact, it cured me of a cough that had baffled several other cough medicines.—N. R. Burnett, Atalissa Iowa.

Here it is, and it fills the bill much better than anything we could say: "It gives me the greatest pleasure to write you in regard to Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. During the past winter I have sold more of it than any other kind, and have yet to find any one but what was benefited by taking it. I have never had any medicine in my store that gave such universal satisfaction." J. M. Roney, druggist, Genda Springs, Kan. 50 cent bottles for sale by Morganthaler & Heister.

The want column is a winner every time.

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